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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Re: Verizon Telephone Companies, Tariff FCC Nos. 1, 11, 14 and 16, WC  
Docket No. 02-317

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to the Protective Order in this proceeding, enclosed are three executed Attachment A Declarations regarding compliance with the Protective Order. This **firm** represents US LEC Corp., Level 3 Communications, LLC, Focal Communications Corporation, Pac-West Telecomm, Inc., Business Telecom, Inc., ATX Communications, Inc., DSLnet Communications, LLC, U.S. TelePacific Corp. d/b/a TelePacific Communications, and Freedom Ring Communications, LLC d/b/a BayRing Communications in this proceeding.

Sincerely,



Michael W. Fleming

Enclosures

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*Attachment A to Protective Order***RECEIVED****DECLARATION**

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Transmittal No. 226 )  
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I,

Richard M. Rindler

hereby declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the Protective Order in these proceedings, and that I agree to be bound by its terms pertaining to the treatment of Confidential Information submitted by parties to this proceeding. I understand that the Confidential Information shall not be disclosed to anyone except in accordance with the terms of the Protective Order and shall be used only for purposes of the proceedings in this matter. I acknowledge that a violation of the Protective Order is a violation of **an** order of the Federal Communications Commission. I acknowledge that this Protective Order is also a binding agreement with the Submitting Party.

(signed) (name) Richard M. Rindler(representing) US LEC, Level 3. Focal, Pac-West. BTI. ATX. DSL.net. TelePacific(title) Partner(employer) Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP(address) 3000 K Street, N.W., Suite 300, Washington, DC 20007(phone) (202) 424-7500(date) November 1, 2002

## Attachment A to Protective Order

## DECLARATION

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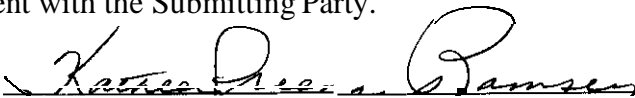
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Kathleen G. Ramsey

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(signed) Michael W. Fleming(name) Michael W. Fleming(representing) US LEC, Level 3, Focal, Pac-West, BTL, ATX, DSL.net, TelePacific(title) Associate(employer) Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP(address) 3000 K Street, N.W., Suite 300, Washington, DC 20007(phone) (202) 424-7500(date) November 1, 2002